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1. PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$790.00 to cover the RCE filing fee;
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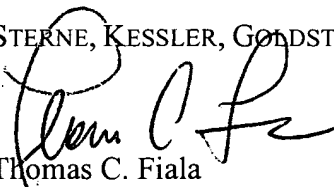
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